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1. BASIC FILING FEE

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106 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 370.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	13 -20** = 0	X 0 = 0	
Multiple Dependent	2 -3** = 0	X 0 = 0	

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20	
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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127 60	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130 130	130 130	Non-English specification	
112 920*	112 920*	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within first month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within second month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within third month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fourth month	
119 320	219 160	Extension for reply within fifth month	
120 320	220 160	Notice of Appeal	
121 280	221 140	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Request for oral hearing	
140 110	240 55	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
142 1,280	242 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
143 480	243 240	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
144 620	244 310	Design issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Plant issue fee	
123 50	123 50	Petitions to the Commissioner	
126 180	126 180	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g)	
581 40	581 40	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
146 740	246 370	Recording each patent assignment per property (lines number of properties)	40.00
149 740	249 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
176 740	276 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
169 900	169 900	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
		Request for expedited examination of a design application	
		Other fee (specify)	

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